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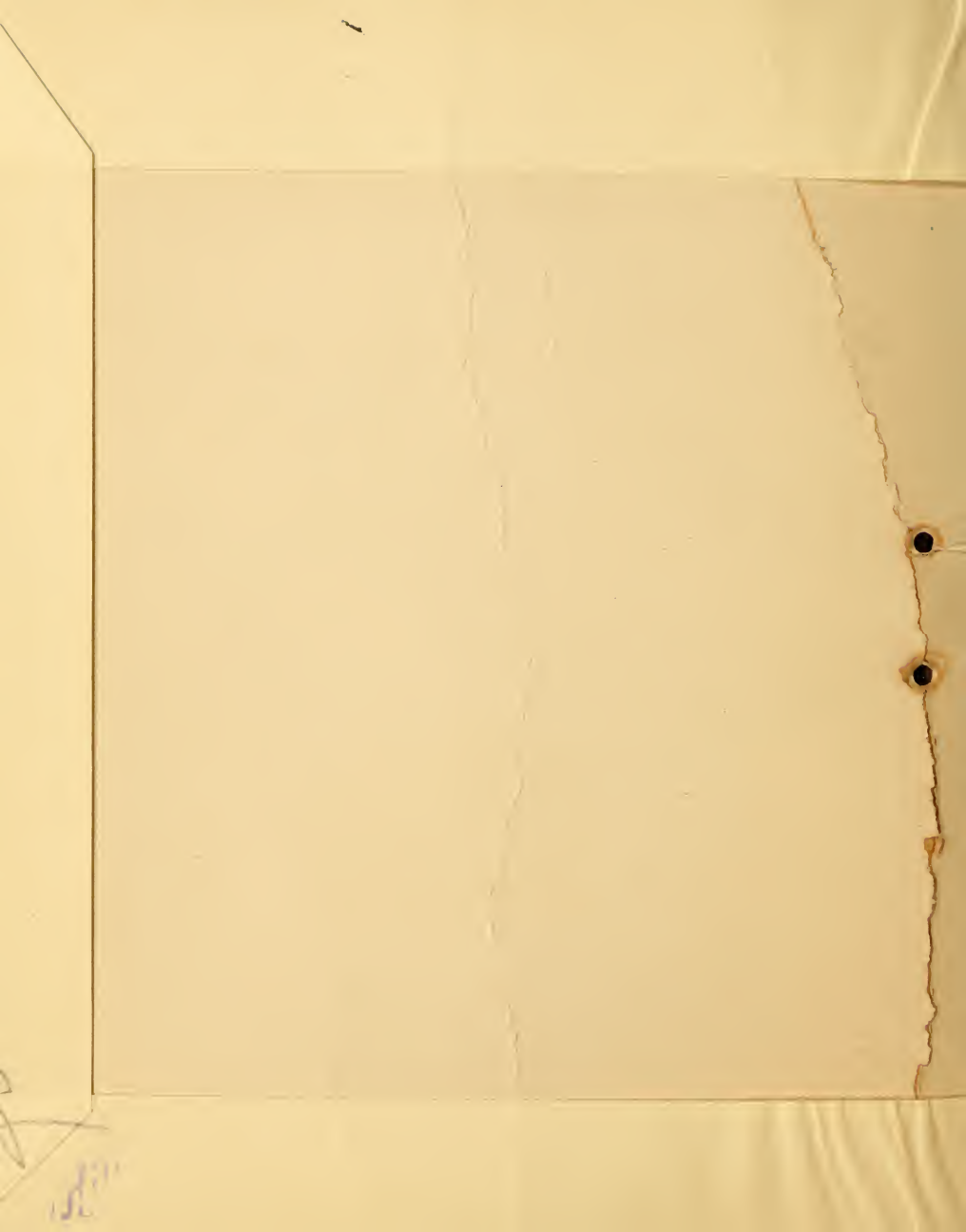


✦ HARK THE ✦

✦ HERALD ✦

✦ ANGELS SING ✦





✦ HARK! THE HERALD ANGELS SING ✦

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*"Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good-will
toward men."*



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“Hark! the herald angels sing.”



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Hark! the herald angels sing
Glory to the new-born King;
Peace on earth, and mercy mild,
God and sinners reconciled!



“Veil’d in flesh the Godhead see;”



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Foyful, all ye nations, rise,
Join the triumph of the skies ;
With the angelic host proclaim,
Christ is born in Bethlehem !



“**R**isen with healing in his wings,
Light and life to all he brings.”



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Christ, by highest heaven adored ;
Christ, the everlasting Lord ;
Late in time behold him come,
Offspring of the Virgin's womb :

Veil'd in flesh the Godhead see ;
Hail the incarnate Deity,
Pleased as Man with men to dwell ;
Jesus, our Emmanuel !



“Mild he lays his glory by.”

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Risen with healing in his wings,
Light and life to all he brings.
Hail, the Sun of Righteousness !
Hail, the heaven-born Prince of Peace !

Mild he lays his glory by,
Born that man no more may die;
Born to raise the sons of earth;
Born to give them second birth.



Charles Wesley, the author of this hymn, is among the most distinguished of writers of hymns . . . He was born in 1708, at Epworth, Lincolnshire, England . . . His father was Samuel Wesley and his brother was the great John Wesley . . . He was graduated at Christ Church, Oxford, was afterward the private secretary of General Oglethorpe, and then devoted himself to preaching and to assisting his brother John . . . He died in 1788.



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